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For President. WILLIAM MCKINLEY, Of Ohio.

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Of New York.

For Congress, Ninth Virginia District,

GEN, JAS. A. WALKER, Of Wythe.

THE VALUE OF AN OATH.

Why should an oath be considered less sacred when it comes with politics than the other affairs of life? Can it be possible that fidelity to party or the advancement of a man's political interests will justify him in treating lightly an oath which he has taken to honestly and faithfully discharge the duties of an officer and held in the Jesuitical idea that the end justifies the means, the end being the success of their party, no matter how obtainmodern Democracy in Virginia, if we are to judge it by the way that Democratic election officers in this State violate the oath which they take before acting at any they believe the people will submit to.

judge of election enters upon the performance of any of the duties imposed upon But in this State the courts have either happy as a people than we have ever him by law, he shall take an oath in the lacked authority or disposition to bring been; and these conditions, coming after following form-to-wit: "I, A. B., judge any of the ballot thieves and ballot-box McKinley and the Republican party were of the election, do solemnly swear that I stuffers to the bar of judgment. The only put in power, show that Mr. Bryan was dates for President and Vice-President by will perform the duties of judge of election man who has been tried for an oftense of truly a false prophet. according to law and the best of my abilithat kind, was a judge who stuffed the bal
that kind, was a judge who stuffed the bal
Do you think it will be wise to listen to ty; and that I will studiously endeavor to lot-box full at Smither's precinct, in Henprevent fraud, deceit, and abuse in conducting this election."

How marthis selemn outh been kept? Democratic newspapers of the State, who at the next session of the Virginia Legislatlast Spring used as their chief argument for making a new Constitution the necessity for stopping the election frauds that mon in Virginia. Democrats no longer deny these frauds, but try to make excuse for them by talking of negro supremacy. There is not a negro vote in Dickenson county, nor one in Buchanan county, and yet Democratic judges of election cheated, violated their oaths in these two counties two years ago for Rhea. We have also been informed that a Democratic judge of election at a precinct in Russell county recently stated that they had stolen votes at his precinct for Rhea two years ago, law has been so fixed that the courts can sition was taken after the Democrats beand were going to steal votes for him at

the coming election. We do not pretend to say that all the Democratic judges of election in Virginia are dishonest or that a majority of them great number of them are and do, and that the Machine protects them. It is also evident that these men are selected because of their lack of integrity and for the very purpose of cheating. The law under which they are apppointed and act was made for fraudulent purposes; and, instead of encouraging them to keep their studiously endeavor to stimulate fraud, deceit and abuse in conducting elections. The Democratic Machine has been a zealous and capable teacher of fraud, and it has found enough apt pupils to manipulate the ballot boxes in every district in the State successfully. There will be a day of reckoning for the scoundrels who violate the sacred oath of election officers, as well as for the leaders who encourage and uphold them. The average Democratic voter who is honest in all his business affairs and claims to be an upright citizen and knows of the disreputable manner in trifled with. Let the dishonest election ardent supporters declare that it is the which elections are conducted by his party, yet declines to raise his voice against the crimes, becomes a silent partner in of the past, they will assert their moun- as well as the negroes. the transactions and will some time have tain manhood, and see that Republicans bave not only the right to vote but to law their votes bonestly counted. Let done erime. We all know that the Democracy in Virginia has for a long time ceased to regard frauds in elections as a crime, and treats the violation of modifier as a right that belongs to American freemen. Republicans of the Ninth District, by an election officer as a trivial matter. You men in the Democratic party who have claims to be considered honest in your politics, place your hands on your hearts and answer truly: "Is this not bears of the fakir, Bryan. The North and West will elect that great patriot and statesman," Is and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at JNO. E.

Six Frightful Failures.

South than Cleveland has ever been. The South than Cleveland has ever been. The South than Cleveland has ever been. The House and Lot of land to answer for it. For fear of injuring his have not only the right to vote but to

If we stop to consider what the leaders William McKinley.

perhaps, we will not be astonished at the

who has held a State or County office, records of the men who are the candi- from Rhea and his followers, he under- the dishonest practices of the machine. every man who has held or holds an office dates and of the parties that stand be took a contest for the seat in Congress under the United States Government from | hind the respective candidates.

HOW TO MEET IT.

What is the value of an oath?

If we are to judge by recent declarations and indications, the conspirators and plotters who outraged free suffrage in this dis-

Let the suswer be made by the leading and a fine of a few dollars. The culprit was judgment tell you it is best to turn down ure made a subordinate officer of the State experiment with the untried? Senate, which position he has held at You will have a chance next Tuesday may, possibly, be on the ballot.

> honor perpetuated to him. When it was announced in 1898 that great frauds had been committed in this district, and General Walker tried, through The Democratic papers and leaders are TORY! the courts, to unearth some of them, even now trying to dispute the fact that it is the Supreme Court of Appeals held, upon the purpose of their party to disfranchise his application for a mandamus, that all the uneducated men of the country by though the registration books were public the new Constitution that is to be records General Walker had no right adopted. They assert now that only neto have copies made of those books. The groes are to be disfranchised. That podo but little, even if they wish to do it, came alarmed about the vote of the poor, to protect the citizens in the exercise of uneducated white men of the State.

The Republicans of this district see these all along, that it is the white vote that facts staring them in the face. They re- is disturbing the Democratic machine call the number of frauds committed by It has had no trouble in controlling the Rhea's tools, and also the fact that the negro vote in the black districts, but has Republican candidate, when contesting been startled by the constant movement for our rights, was shot by an assassin, of the white workingmen to the Republic that the assassin was acquitted of all can party. These are the men whose blame by a partisan jury fixed for the votes the Democracy want to get rid of. purpose; and was afterwards rewarded Now and then a Democratic paper tells for his act by being appointed private the truth about the purpose of the party. secretary of W. F. Rhea-who holds a The Rural Retreat Times, a warm sup-

Is there no remedy left the people? issue of Oct. 5th, 1900, said: lot thieves? It seems that there can be will come whether McKinley or Bryan is no satisfactory appeals to the State courts; elected. The Constitutional Convention and the honest men in the Democratic will not disfranchise anyone who has the seems to be but one remedy left the Retrict, and that is to let the unscrupulous Virginia State Convention." ballot manipulators understand the limit has been reached; and that the sacred the language is that of the Rural Retreat rights of the citizens shall be no longer Times. Thus does one of Rhea's most officers understand that if Republicans fixed intention of the Virginia Democracy can find no legal remedy for the outrages to disfranchise the uneducated white men

will elect that great patriot and statesman, and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at JNO. E. mismarks an uneducated man's ballot rob October, 1900.

On next Tuesday the voters of the No people ever had a candidate who more

Taking it for granted that every one ressmen, Legislators, Judges, in fact all honest conviction and manly principle, trict endorse, and for the principles that Rhea methods can prevent the triumphant the Democrats who hold or have held we ask you how you will cast your vote have brought so much prosperity to our office under the State or Federal Govern- on the 6th of November? Do you honest- section. The party is more thoroughly are not fixed upon the number of votes that ment advocating a measure which will be best to change the united under his leadership than it has will be cast for him, but the number that directly violate the Constitution of the present policy of our Government? Do ever been before. He deserves and will can be counted for him by the machine. United States, which they have sworn to you think that Mr. Bryan has proven receive the cordial support of all true Re support by taking the oath above referred himself a safe thinker and sound expo- publicans. to. They are advocating a suffrage law nent of governmental principles? Has that will disfranchise a large class of citi- his prophetic vision been sufficiently vinzens, which most of them admit is in vio- dicated by the conditions that have fol-When we find the most prominent men believed in him in 1896? Mr. Bryan in disregarding their oath to support the 1896 made the bold prediction: "If Mc-Constitution of the United States, is it any Kinley and the Republican party are sucwonder that lesser lights in the party are cessful and put in power the next four willing and anxious to violate their oblivers, wages will be decreased, hard times gation as election officers? With this will come upon us, and over the land the condition existing among the leaders and price of wheat will go down and the price the rank and file of the Virginia Democra- of gold will go up; mortgages on our ress in the Ninth District of Virginia, cy, is it strange that the whole moral tone homes will be foreclosed by the money where there is a growing likelihood of the of the party is in a state of decay? We lenders; shops and factories will close. may well ask the Democracy of Virginia, We will export no goods, and will import Virginian of Virginians, with a distin-

Intelligent voters, put your hands on

trict two years ago are preparing to do the have been increased in all departments of party fully determined to right the wrong after being in operation one year in Ken-B. M. Shrader, on his lands as an estra same this year, under the leadership of labor; wheat and grains of all kinds have W. F. Rhea. They are now, as they advanced in price; the price of gold has were then, in complete control of the not gone up; mortgages amounting to compromising Republican, he represents election machinery of the district, and many hundreds of millions of dollars have the best interests of Virginia and his election law. are backed by those who are in absolute been paid off our homes; thousands of control of the election machinery of the shops, factories, furnaces that were idle State. So, we may expect them to not are now open: three millions of men who only repeat what they did in 1898, but, were tramping through the land in 1896 encouraged by the safe-guards furnished begging for work are now constantly and HOW TO PREPARE A BALLOT. them by the ample provisions of the Wal- profitably employed; we exported las ton law, they will commit every fraud vear nearly four hundred millions of dol-In most of the States, in all those of we imported from foreign countries, and the North, East and West, the courts are we sold to foreign countries six hundred invested with authority to punish those million of dollars more than we bought who commit frauds on the ballot box. of them: we are more prosperous and

tablished, and upon whom a trivial sen- ter experience of the four years preceding tence was inflicted, of a few minutes in jail the McKinley Administration does your DENT.

each succeeding session of the Legislature. to say which you prefer, the tried and cratic Legislature for his crime and the Which will you stand by? What will

TO BE DISFRANCHISED.

We believe now, as we have believed porter of W. F. Rhea for Congress, in its

Must they be compelled to submit to the 'The Constitutional Convention which outrages of political freebooters and bal- comes next Fall is not a matter of Nationparty are too indifferent or timid to lift right to vote. It will exclude the illiterate undertaking the running of such a com- be treated. plex machine as a State Government publicans of the Ninth Congressional Dis- McKinley and Hanna cut no ice in the

Jackson's drug store.

sition of Chief-Executive of the Nation. Congressional District, in the person of newspapers have been encouraging the The voters will also have to decide what General Walker. Since he espoused the masses to violate the bighest law of the shall be the policy of the National Gov- cause of Republicanism he has been stead- for him, or will you cast your ballot for land-the Federal Constitution. Every ernment for the four years after March fast and untiring in his devotion to its man who holds or has held an office in 4th, 1901. The people ought to cast their interests. When he took our flag it had Virginia-State or Federal-has taken an ballots according to their honest convic-been for some time trailing in the dust in oath, which in substance says: "I sol- tions, and for that candidate and party our district, but he carried it to victory

With stern resolve to protect his party wonder Republicans should cry out against

who reads this article desires to act from that all the Republicans of the Ninth Dis- er. Nothing but an enlarged practice of

OUR CANDIDATE.

It speaks highly of our candidate for Congress and of the gallant fight the Re-

in the congressional campaign is in progelection of Gen. James A. Walker, the steal them again, and more of them, at Republican nominee. Gen. Walker is a the coming election. It is strange that from foreign lands all the goods we use; guished record as a soldier in the Confedthus will ruin, want and misery be with erate army and an exalted reputation as such things go unrebuked. a citizen and a gentleman. He served with credit in the Fifty-fourth and Fiftyfifth Congresses and was elected to the your hearts and answer us truly, how have Fifty-sixth, but was counted out by his Democratic opponents. This year he is is assured. He is a progressive and un-

toral tickets printed on the official ballot are not required to scratch the names of

let his name remain, but be certain to

assistants to Rhea.

McKinley, Roosevelt, Walker, Vic-

Work for Walker: vote for Walker: and

see that your vote is counted for Walker.

BRYANISM and Rheaism, the latter the meanest of the two, should be given a death blow in this district.

WILL you vote at this election with the party that intends to take away your right | Scrufula, Ulcers, Old Sores, Bone Painsto vote before another election?

their voices against the machine. There whites and blacks, who know nothing, from and good sense will tell you how he should aches and make the blood Pure and Rich to the plaintiff J. T. Redd; of those two

him of his citizenship?

REMEMBER the Democratic promises of 1892 and the Democratic prophecies of

> Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a Col. J. W. Hartwell, of Bluefield, W. Va., will speak at the following times and

THE outlook in the Ninth District is General Walker stands for the policy splendid for the election of General Walk-

> THERE was a conspiracy to murder General Walker at Bristol by Rhea's gang. If you doubt this, enquire of the ten honest Democrats from Montgomery county who sat upon the jury that tried General Walker for shooting W. S. Hamilton, are hereby notified that 30 acres of land Every honest man who heard that trial on Mud Fork, in Clear Fork District, levies, interest and costs, to the Common-wealth of Virginia, and application for the or do General Walker great bodily harm.

> THERE has been no denial of the charge that one of the Democratic judges said land, you are further notified to apat Honaker precinct at the election of pear in four months from the date of this VIRGINIA: Tazewell county, to-wit:— To the clerk of the county court of Taze-

well county: We, T. G. Crockett and D. 1 Broadway, New York, well county: We, T. G. Crockett and D. 1 Broadway, New York, W. Dudley, two freeholders of Tazewell 70 Kilby Street, Boston, Mass., vhy does it keep in force an election law that the whole civilized world points to tice of the Peace of said county, after first again a candidate, backed by a united as infamous? The Goebel election law which he suffered two years ago, and un- tucky has been repealed, as too odious for any free people to submit to. The Goebel ed and each ear has an underbit. She is 6 law was copied from the infamous Virginia

It is surprising to see Democratic newspapers that pretend to be decent publishing with great gusto what Croker says about Roosevelt. These papers know man, a patriot; and that Croker is an un-At the approaching Presidential election | scrupulous political boss, whose honesty here will be more than a haif dozen elec- has been questioned by every Democratic paper outside of New York.

John Reed, Defendant. made and filed that the defendant Reed is not a resident of the State of So, if you want to vote for McKinley everything that is produced or found in protect his interest in this suit. And it is the Ninth District and that is adding to ur wealth under a protective tariff. ed at Tazewell, and that a copy be posted at the front door of the court-house of this

Like Stanley and Livingstone, found it scratch off Rhea's name and the names of harder to overcome Malaria, Fever and Hicks & Worth, p. q. any other candidates for Congress that Ague, and Typhoid disease germs than savage cannibals; but thousands lave It will be remembered that Rhea got found that Electric bitters is a wonderful were becoming so wide-spread, so comThe ballot thief was rewarded by a Demogood or the untried and uncertain.

The ballot thief was rewarded by a Demogood or the untried and uncertain. on the ballot two years ago. They ran as have chills with fever, aches in back of neck and head, and tired, worn-out feeling a trial will convince you of their merit. W. A. Null, of Webb, Ill., writes: John D. Alexander, Complainant, "My children suffered for more than a year with chills and fever; then two bottles of Electric Bitters cured them." Only 50 cents. Try them. Guaranteed. Sold by John E. Jackson, Druggist.

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it from the system. At the same time Botanic Blood Balm builds up the shattered

vs. \ In Chancery,
The Baltimore Building and Loan Association, of Baltimore, Md., (a corporation) constitution. Have you sore throat, pim-LOOK OUT FOR THE BALLOT THIEF. He ples, copper colored spots, old sores, uldid his work in the Ninth District two cers, swellings, scrofula, itching skin, aches and pains in bones or joints, sore years ago, and he will try to do it again.

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Co., Atlanta, Ga. Describe trouble and respectively and which said two lots the poor, illiterate men can be driven from the poor, illiterate men can be driven from the ballot-box.

IF Bryan is defeated next Tuesday, and we have every reason to believe he will, he will become more unpopular at the large medical advice given. Don't despair said W. W. French, Trustee conveyed or attempted to convey to said The Baltimore Building and Loan Association of Baltimore, Md., by two separate writings of record in Tazewell county, court, clerk's office in D. B. 43, pages 133-4 & clerk's office in D. B. 43, pages 133-4 & clerk's office of the county court, of Tazewell county, Oct.

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Maggie M. Honsker, Alice M. Winston,
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